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Burns' - Anniversary.
"TWA HOURS' AT HAME"
GRAND SCOTCH CONCERT
By the First Presbyterian Church choir will be held in the Schoolroom of the church on
Wednesday Ev'g. 29th inst. at 8p.m.
Admission 50 c. Tickets can be had from members of the choir and the principal book and music stores in the city.
The following ladies and gentlemen have kindly consented to take part: Miss O'Neill, Miss Dempster (Edinburgh, Scotland), Miss Russell, Mr. Rae, violinist, and Messrs. Moir, Rennard, Grant and Brown.
The program will be entirely Scotch, chiefly from Burns' works, consisting of solos, trios and chorus.
Accompanyist, Miss Hall; conductor, Mr. J. G. Brown. jan23-td

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COMMENTS AND NOTES

The Review of Reviews, the Title of Mr. Stead's Proposed Publication.

Endorsed by Leading English Statesmen—A Visit to the Pope at Rome.

Mr. Stead has resigned the editorship of the *Pall Mall Gazette* and has issued a prospectus of a new periodical which he announces he will publish monthly under the title of the *Review of Reviews*. Some little time has elapsed since Mr. Stead undertook his pilgrimage to Rome, the object of which, it will be remembered, was to find out for himself at headquarters, on consecrated ground and in pious discourse with His Holiness, what is the attitude of the Catholic Church in relation to the immense problems now confronting the modern world. He has now concluded his task and he speaks on all matters relating to Rome and the Vatican with the tone of authoritative infallibility that we would naturally expect to hear from him. On the whole the impressions he has received at Rome have been favorable, and his approval seems to have reached the point where, if reverence and etiquette permitted, he would pat His Holiness on the back and encourage him in well doing. At any rate he ends his task more hopefully than he began it, and on the question on which he had most misgivings, namely, the emancipation of women, he is most reassured. The Pope, Mr. Stead admits, has not yet declared for woman's suffrage, but some of his advisers are at least open to persuasion and recognize the existence of very strong reasons for finding the demand just and logical. It is not always easy in Mr. Stead's articles from Rome to distinguish between the Pope and Mr. Stead, but one of them says that woman in Europe is the sole hope of the church, and that it may be necessary to enfranchise her in order to check the secular influence of the state. Mr. Stead also approves of the Pope's determination not to allow the temporal power to be restored by force of arms, and of his further resolve which he says is absolute, to fix the future papal residence on the banks of the Thames should "Divine Providence" ever force him to flee for his life from the See of St. Peter. On the social question Mr. Stead thinks that the Pope means business and that as he has already sent one cardinal round the world to preach a crusade against the slave trade in Africa, he may send another to preach a still more popular crusade against hours of labor which leave the workmen no time to live.

Mr. Stead's brain teems with ideas and it is needless to say that he has many suggestions to offer. For one thing, if he were Pope, he would make far greater use of the press than the Holy See does at present. He would first of all organize a correspondence bureau of the Vatican which would supply the newspapers of the world with a polyglot correspondence; and then, from headquarters, he would issue weekly newspapers for the benefit of the clergy and also a smaller sheet which could be delivered daily by post in every part of Italy. Mr. Stead, who would like to play the part of the pope of journalism, cannot be reproached for not practising what he preaches. As soon as ever he returned from Rome he set about forming his plans for making London the centre of a world-wide organization which would be to journalism what the Catholic church in former days was to Christendom. The title which Mr. Stead has chosen for his new periodical, the *Review of Reviews*, suggests the aim of the magazine. Mr. Stead intends it to furnish the English speaking race with the condensed cream of all the other periodicals and probably American and Australian editions of the *Review* will be published simultaneously in New York and Sydney. The first number appears in London this month. The Prime Minister has already given it his patronage and says that he has little doubt that the undertaking will be successful and in a literary point of view very interesting. "The number of reviews," says Lord Salisbury, "is increasing every year, and they are absorbing a large part of the literary activity of our time. But few people have the industry or the leisure to search for themselves every month through the multitude of periodicals for all the articles that are worth reading." Whether the "multitude of periodicals" will approve of being summarized for the benefit of hard worked statesmen is quite another matter. The proprietors of the magazines that are to be so ruthlessly despoiled have determined upon a resolute opposition and they will avail themselves of all the protection that the law will give them. The mere announcement of Mr. Stead's scheme has been sufficient to strike many publishers with panic and Mr. Stead only partially reassures them by declaring that his magazine is not to consist altogether, or even chiefly of a compilation from articles that make their first appearance elsewhere. Such a subordination of his own individuality would not be likely to suit Mr. Stead. The *Review of Reviews* will be first and foremost his organ, and will preach his gospel, and enforce his ideas. It has been suggested by a cynical friend that the *Periodical Pontiff* would be a more appropriate title than the more modest one already chosen.

Mr. Stead has been fortunate enough to secure for his prospectus expressions of approval of the new magazine from all political parties. Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Balfour, Lord Hartington and Lord Rosebery, Lord Derby and Lord Carnarvon are united in their praise, and Michael Davitt also declares the idea excellent. Sir Charles Russell and Sir Henry James agree that such a publication offers them the only chance they are likely to have of knowing anything of our periodical literature, while Sir Hercules Robinson, Imperial High Commissioner for South Africa, speaks on behalf of the colonies and says that the new magazine will meet a want much felt in those distant lands where people are generally too busy to read the home periodicals and often too poor to buy them.

While the editor of the *Review of Reviews* openly declares himself a highway robber, the editor of the Roman Catholic magazine *Merry England* has reproduced without permission a review of "Ellen Middleton" written by Mr. Gladstone fifty years ago. Of course intense interest has been excited by the resurrection in theological as well as in social circles, for "Ellen Middleton" is to some extent a theological novel. The author of it was Lady Georgiana Fullerton, the youngest sister of Lord Granville. She was an early adherent of the tractarian movement and afterwards joined the church of Rome. In the emphatic praise which the Mr. Gladstone of 50 years ago enthusiastically bestows upon the novel it is easy for his opponents to discover dangerous theological tendencies and they have not been slow to avail themselves of the opportunity offered to them. They have gone so far as to attempt to bring home to him a deliberate approval of the confessional, but a desire to make mischief is the only basis for such a charge. If, as is confidently stated, the review has been re-published without Mr. Gladstone's consent the editor has been guilty at the very least of an unjustifiable act of literary discourtesy. It is possible, however, that Mr. Gladstone with his mind full of Home Rule, Free Trade, modern novels, and classical criticism may have carelessly given his consent and then forgotten all about it. With characteristic simplicity, or indiscretion—he cannot have asked to see beforehand a proof of the article, and he now suddenly finds himself confronted with the opinion of his early manhood.

SPECTATOR.

COMOX.

Enormous Quantity of Snow—Buildings Crushed Down.

No less than eighteen barns and sheds have been crushed in by the weight of snow. One barn destroyed for Mr. Samuel Piercy was valued at $500. The Agricultural Hall building was crushed flat to the ground, and is a total loss. Great fears are entertained for the safety of the new bridge across the Courtenay river. There is an immense amount of snow and settlers are afraid the weight will be beyond the capacity of the structure.

Mrs. McKenzie is still confined to her bed, but is improving rapidly.

Rev. Mrs. Fraser is down with a severe attack of la grippe.

At Bear Creek, in Comox district, the snow is reported to be over six feet deep.

At Union Mine the blockade still continues, but it is expected that the locomotive will get to the wharf this evening. All available hands have been kept steadily employed in shovelling the snow out of the cuts.

The locomotive that went over the bank last week is badly damaged, and will require several weeks work to place her in running order.

The steamship San Mateo, with her jovial skipper, Captain Colville, is still detained waiting for the one thousand tons of coal necessary to complete her cargo.

MAINLAND ASSOCIATION.

What Was Done at the Royal City Last Night.

[Special to The Times.]

New Westminster, Jan. 25.—In response to a call of the mayor, a public meeting of citizens was held in the city hall last night for the purpose of considering the advisability of taking some steps to procure for them just representation in the provincial legislature. Mayor Brown was in the chair and after several speeches the following resolution was introduced and passed unanimously:

1. That an association be formed for the purpose of promoting this object to be known as the Mainland Association of New Westminster.

2. That His Worship the Mayor be requested to nominate a committee to organize said association without delay.

3. That the said committee be instructed to secure as specially as possible the placing on the provincial voters' list all persons within the city entitled to be placed thereon.

4. And that steps be taken for the formation of similar associations in every municipality of the district, and for the co-operation of all local associations, including that of Vancouver, by means of the formation of a central association, composed of delegates from the various local organizations which shall meet at such times and places as may be decided by the said delegates, and form an executive. The Mayor then nominated the members of the city council and several other prominent citizens as the above named committee.

MORNING TELEGRAMS.

General News Condensed into Short Space.

MRev. DeWitt Talmage was the guest of r. Gladstone in London.

Trains are blockaded in Dakota worse than any year since 1879.

W. R. Campbell's store at Moosejaw, N.W.T., was destroyed by fire.

Lord Hartington will shortly make a trip to England to recruit his health.

All vessels arriving confirm the first reports of a great storm on the Atlantic.

Thirteen counties in Ireland are relieved from the operation of the Coercion Act.

Nellie Bly left Chicago for New York yesterday at 10 o'clock on her trip round the world.

The English minister at Portugal telegraphs that a warship is no longer needed at Lisbon.

Hon. Mr. Foster and wife gave a large dinner party last night, the expected boycott not taking place.

David Creighton was arrested last night on a charge of criminally libelling the proprietor of the *Mail*.

Two clerks of the Bank of Ontario, R. Moffatt and W. H. Goodwin, have been arrested for stealing funds of the bank.

The sentence of Herr Most at New York to one year and a fine of $500 for his fiery utterances is generally approved of.

The rumor is current in Wall Street, New York, and among the various commission houses that a $6,000,000 failure has occurred in Buenos Ayres.

The Prince Edward Island nominations took place yesterday. J. R. McLean, Liberal, and John McLean, Conservative, were elected for the first district of Kings.

The Turkish minister at Washington will ask for the suppression of a paper published in Armenia by American missionaries and agitating for the autonomy of Armenia.

Martin, the Montreal crook, who fastened the door of a jewelry store, then smashed in the window and stole an $8000 tray of diamonds, has been sentenced to 14 years.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

T. McNeeley, the Delta merchant, is in the city.

Ald. Wilson is around again after an illness of several days.

Harry Abbott, superintendent of the C. P. R., is at the Driard.

Hon Justice Drake is confined to his home with a severe cold.

J. Reece, of Chilliwhack, arrived down last night on the Islander.

John Kurtz is around again after a term in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Capt. John Irving is yet very ill, but nothing serious is apprehended.

R. G. Cunningham, Skeena River, came down on the Sardonyx last night.

Rev. W. W. Baer will preach in the new Methodist church at Nanaimo tomorrow.

Ald. Kelly's condition is about the same. Drs. Macnaughton Jones and Renwick are in attendance.

Steve. O'Brien of the Senate has returned from a flying visit to Chicago. He was lucky enough to miss the blockade.

Arthur Pinder, of the Northwest Mounted police force is said to be negotiating with the Ottawa authorities for his discharge.

Little Lucy's Luck.

"I had a disease of the skin for which Ms tried everything she could think of but without effect, but the first bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters I tried, I found relief. It gave great satisfaction."
LUCY VENADUM, (age 11)
Boissevain, Man.

Highest golden leaf tobacco only is used in Kinney Bros' high-class Cigarettes, Special Favors.

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

Talmage Sails for New York—Close of the Reichstag—Bismarck Absent.

Defeat of the Socialist Bill—Carnival of Snow and Storm—Irish Affairs.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Congressman Butterworth of Ohio appeared before the ways and means committee to-day and made an argument in favor of reciprocity with Canada.

"OLD HUTCH" DEFRAUDED.

Chicago, Jan. 25.—It is reported on the board of trade this morning that Hutchinson, familiarly known as "Old Hatch," had been defrauded out of $100,000 by some of his brother operators.

OBITUARY.

Springfield, Mass, Jan. 25—John Ames, one of the original paper makers of this country, was found dead in bed at his home in this city this morning, aged 90.

AN ACTRESS SUICIDES.

New York, Jan. 25.—Jessie Dean Reynolds, an actress, committed suicide early this morning at her residence, by shooting herself through the heart. She wrote farewell letters to friends last night and with these tucked in the bosom of her dress, played cards up to midnight with her husband and a party of friends. She was in the best of spirits. Soon after the party broke up she shot herself.

NELLIE BLY'S PROGRESS.

Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 25.—Train carrying Nellie Bly passed here at 11:37 this morning. An immense multitude of people greeted her.

FLOOD FEARED.

San Francisco, Jan. 25.—Heavy rains and melting snow in the foot hills cause apprehension of another flood greater than the previous one. All the waters are rising rapidly and considerable damage is already caused.

GAS EXPLOSION.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 25.—As far as is known but three persons were killed in yesterday's gas explosion, though it is believed Mrs. Marrotte's sixteen-year-old daughter May will die. The number of injured is now placed at thirty, many of whom were badly bruised by the runaway truck team.

ROBBED A POST OFFICE.

Albuquerque, N. M., Jan. 15.—Night clerk S. L. Roy, of the post office here, was, early yesterday morning, bound and gagged by two masked men, who pounded the combination knob off the safe with a sledge hammer and robbed the vaults of $500 in money, $1,900 in postage stamps and several hundred dollars worth of jewellery.

EARTHQUAKE.

Cairo, Ill., Jan. 25.—News has just reached here of heavy shocks of earthquake at Bellfort Lake, Tennessee, yesterday morning at 3 o'clock. A panic was created among the residents but no serious damage.

WINE AT BANQUETS.

Objection Made by Ladies to the Social Custom.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—The National W. C. T. U., in an address issued to-day over the signature of President Frances E. Willard, and addressed to the South American, Central American and Mexican commissioners of the Pan-American congress, state that the ladies read with surprise and regret that during the round of banquetting to which the nation's guests were subjected, intoxicating liquors were served upon every occasion and indulged in by the Pan-American delegates.

THE LABOR AGITATION.

Remarkable Success Has Attended Trade Union Principles.

London, Jan. 23.—One of the most remarkable phases in the present labor agitation is the success which has attended the propagation of trade union principles among female workers in the East End. The cigar makers union is a case in point. The union was the direct outcome of the announcement by employers of their intention to reduce wages. At first the women failed to comprehend the meaning of the suggestion, union, but when it was fully borne in upon their minds they joined in large numbers. Within the last two months 600 women have given in their names, and it is singular that with the establishment of society wages have been much above the normal figure, a competent girl earning twenty shillings and twenty-one shillings a week. There are other societies, which if they cannot all proclaim the success of the cigar makers union have a considerable increase in new members. Prominent among these is the organization of match makers, which is rapidly growing in strength and importance. Some of the voluntary workers who have been most prominent in establishing these unions, complain of the apathy of regular trade unionist officers.

SNOW IS KING.

Union and Southern Pacific Trains Still Blockaded.

Portland, Jan. 23.—Union Pacific trains are again blockaded. Trains coming west are delayed beyond Green River and trains going east are blockaded at Pendleton. Local trains arrived here today from La Grande and Pendleton. The state of the weather is not very favorable and it cannot be determined how long the blockade will last. It has been snowing heavily for the past twenty-four hours, and roads are greatly obstructed everywhere. There has been no through train since yesterday, and none will be started until it is known that the road is open.

On the Southern Pacific the blockade remains unbroken and the prospect of getting trains through soon is not encouraging. The whole country is covered with snow and the lines at present in that direction are prostrated so that very little information can be had.

Ten ditched locomotives are said to line the track between Pendleton and Baker City.

The steamer State of California, which sails for California to-night, will be crowded with passengers. A premium of $20 was offered for berths, and the saloon will be filled with shakedowns. More than 150 wishing to go cannot secure passage.

There is no prospect that the snow blockage on the Sierras, which has now lasted nine days, will soon be broken. This afternoon a rotary snow plow with four engines got stuck in the cut near Shady Run, where the banks are so high that the rotary will not throw the snow over the embankment, and in consequence it tumbles back upon the track burying the plow completely, then there is nothing to do but to back for a distance and take a run for the middle of the bank of snow.

[In connection with the above it will be opportune to remark that Canadian Pacific trains are running through on schedule time.]

The high-class Cigarettes par excellence are Special Favors.

EUROPEAN NEWS.

JUBILEE JUGGINS' ESCAPE.

Nice, Jan. 25.—Plunger Benson, arrested for forgery, will escape the consequences of his crime. The Credit Lyonnais has declined to prosecute, his family refunding the amount of the forged cheque, one thousand pounds, and all expenses.

AFTER BOULANGER.

Paris, Jan. 25.—M. Marinesa, member of the Chamber of Deputies for Paris, threatens to go to Jersey and challenge Gen. Boulanger to a duel.

LISBON IN A FERMENT.

Lisbon, Jan. 25.—At a meeting of leading editors here last evening, to take measures for the promotion of a national defence fund, a committee of 12 citizens, soldiers and sailors was appointed to carry out the object of the meeting.

VIOLENT STORMS.

Berlin, Jan. 25.—Many parts of Germany have suffered from a storm of unprecedented violence accompanied by heavy winds. Houses and churches have been unroofed and chimneys blown down and much property damaged.

ABSCONDED—DYING.

Paris, Jan. 25.—Guily San Felice, a lawyer, and the brother of the Archbishop of Naples, has absconded with $120,000 entrusted to him.

Cardinal Jacobini is dying of pneumonia.

TALMAGE EN ROUTE.

London, Jan. 25.—Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage and party sailed for New York today by the Aurania. They were escorted to the steamer by the Bishop of Liverpool and a party of friends.

FROM BERLIN.

Socialist Bill Defeated—A Great Man's Birthday.

Berlin, Jan. 25.—An official despatch from Major Wissman contains the report of the safety of Dr. Peters entire party.

SOCIAL BILL.

The debate on the socialist bill was resumed in the reichstag to-day by Herr Bebel, the socialist. The bill was finally put to vote, and was rejected by 98 in the affirmative to 169 in the negative. After the announcement of the vote, Herr Von Boetticher, as representative of Prince Bismarck, who was not present during the session, announced the close of the session of the reichstag.

THE PRINCESS VICTORIA.

Kaiser Wilhelm has decided to allow his sister Victoria £10,000 yearly with permission to reside where she pleases. Since the failure of her engagement with Prince Alexander of Battenburg, Princess Victoria has been a constant irritant in the Imperial domestic circle, and the Kaiser would be very glad if she should make up her mind to live permanently in England.

GREAT FREDERICK'S BIRTHDAY.

In celebration of the birthday of Frederick the Great, the Kaiser in the presence of the whole royal family presented new colors to the Guards at Potsdam.

TREATMENT OF BABIES.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 25.—The Russian government has begun an investigation of the horrible disclosures concerning the treatment of foundlings, it having been learned from official sources that 77 per cent. of the number committed to charitable institutions die from ill treatment. It has been shown that parents send their children to traders who pack six or seven babies into hampers and send them over the country as baggage, resulting in great mortality.

IRISH AFFAIRS.

Cork Authorities Responsible for a Big Political Breeze.

London, Jan. 25.—The action of the Cork authorities in dissolving the Board of Guardians in consequence of the passage of a resolution by that body expressing full confidence in Mr. Parnell, raised a breeze which bids fair to assume the magnitude and destructive force of a hurricane. The ostensible reason for the dissolution of the Board was its expression of opinion on affairs of a political character, but the real reason was that the politics treated of was not of the right stripe. To say that the affair has aroused a feeling of indignation is to put it very mildly, and it will be some time before the last is heard of it. The Board numbers several Tories and Unionists among its members, and it will be remembered that not only were they present when the offensive resolution was passed, but that it received the affirmative votes of all those in attendance, despite the turbulent conduct of Dr. Tanner, which might have been expected to influence votes against it.

LONGS TO BE A PRINCESS.

Miss Caldwell Dazzled by Prince Murat's Title.

Paris, Jan. 25.—Reports are revived of a compromise between Prince Murat and Miss Gwendolen Caldwell. It appears as if the lawyers who have been acting in this love affair are to be left in the dark after all. Miss Caldwell has withdrawn her affairs from the hands of her attorneys and has left Paris for a sojourn on the Riviera. Prince Murat has also wound up his affairs with his counsel and is absent from Paris. Miss Caldwell's excuse for dispensing with the services of her legal advisers was that there was nothing more for them to do in the matter. The Prince has agreed to pay attention to Miss Caldwell for a few months—perhaps a year longer—until a certain amount of property that is now beyond her reach shall have passed into her hands absolutely, whereby she will be able to deal more liberally with him in the shape of an allowance, etc.

IN WEST YORK.

Candidates Nominated for the Ontario Legislature.

Toronto, Jan. 25.—The following were nominated as candidates for the representation of West York in the Ontario Legislature at the annual meeting at Weston yesterday: Dr. Gilmore, the sitting member; W. P. Clement; R. H. Dewart; J. R. Miller, and ex-alderman Jos. Tait. Hon. A. S. Hardy was to have been present and given an address, but was prevented by la grippe, from which he is suffering severely. Hon. J. M. Gibson, however, was present and spoke at considerable length.

THE CATHOLIC CLERGY.

There is considerable grumbling here among the Catholic clergy over the removals that Archbishop Walsh is making. Fathers McBride and Morris, two of the ablest and most popular of the younger priests in the city, have been given places in country districts. Father Rooney is said to be at the root of the matter.

John Bain, Q.C., of Toronto, and other gentlemen representing the Winnipeg & Northwestern railway, interviewed the Hon. Mr. Dewdney yesterday at Ottawa. They propose to build from Winnipeg to Fort Simpson on the Pacific Coast, through the Yellowhead Pass. Mr. Bain says that the necessary capital has been procured and they only require a land subsidy to enable them to commence operations.

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POLYGAMISTS IN PARLIAMENT.

Mr. Stenhouse is of the opinion "that seven years from to-day will see polygamy—though not Mormon polygamy—influentially represented in the Imperial Parliament of England." Seven years has a mystical sound. What does Mr. Stenhouse mean by it? In what manner does he associate "seven years from to-day," with polygamous representation in the Imperial Parliament? Has Mr. Stenhouse had a "revelation" that he is so specific? Mr. Stenhouse says, "you are welcome to confront me with it" (the prophecy) at the end of the appointed time." Mr. Stenhouse is rash. Let him advocate polygamy if he will, but let him beware of prophecy. Has the fate of Higgins no terrors for him? Does he not know that Higgins is the most discredited man in Canada? Perhaps Mr. Stenhouse will say, that Mr. Higgins is a weather prophet merely, whereas he, basing his calculations on purely human agencies, or in other words the signs of the times, is able to reason from cause to effect. Still for all, when we come to think of it, the prophecy is not so very rash. The Imperial Parliament has its "faddists" to-day, and why should it not have "faddists" en. polygamy seven years hence? Such is not at all improbable. The fact, however, of there being advocates of polygamy in Parliament seven years hence need not cause monogamists any apprehension. Although there may be a respectable minority of male polygamists in England when seven years have elapsed, it may be reckoned with equal certainty that there will be a great majority of female monogamists to oppose them, and we presume that even Mr. Stenhouse will admit that the latter will exert a tremendous moral force. Polygamy is doomed, and for the reason that intelligent women all disapprove of it. Polygamy is impossible without the consent of woman. Is it reasonable to suppose that the average woman of the period would be content with the fraction of a man? Any man who holds to the contrary has simply neglected to study the character of the opposite sex. He has no idea of the individuality she possesses, nor of her self assertion, nor of her inherent abhorrence of moral and social conditions which lessen her value as the object of man's undivided attention and affection. Mr. Stenhouse will say "that inasmuch as we are the stronger animal we will compel her to marry us." There are monogamous women who love their husbands exceedingly, but who nevertheless make things exceedingly warm for them on occasions. Imagine a woman married to a man against her will, at the point of the bayonet so to speak? Shall we suppose that the groom would rhapsodize much over "love's young dream?" But we can hardly wonder at Mr. Stenhouse's attitude. He is a bachelor, and naturally, he views the opposite sex from the standpoint of long years of inexperience. No, Mr. Stenhouse, you can't make it stick. Polygamy is a dead letter. Women are no longer chattels, brought up from infancy to believe that they must submit to whatever licentious conditions man may choose to impose. She is now a self-reliant person with a lively sense of the part she should play in shaping the destiny of things, and depend upon it she will never accept the usages of the past as the *sine qua non* of matrimonial felicity.

"SECTION NINE" AGAIN.

We pointed out on Thursday that it was not necessary for a man to commit an overt act to be a bully. The fact that the powers vested in him are of an extraordinary character, and may be exercised at his option to override possible opposition, are quite sufficient to make him an object of fear; and as an illustration of it we have only to point to the trembling school teachers, who for a year past have not dared to publicly utter a single independent thought. But let us inquire by what right the Hon. John Robson holds the power to cancel certificates. Is there any other profession under the sun where a man, having acquired a certificate of certain mental qualifications, is liable to have it taken away from him as the penalty of private misconduct, and that at the pleasure of one man? A lawyer may be disqualified from practicing his profession, but the authority for such does not rest with one man. A sea captain may have his papers taken away from him, but this rests with the majority of the commission appointed to investigate his conduct. Glancing over the whole list of professions in which certificates are granted as an attest of professional capacity, we do not discover one where the certificate may be summarily cancelled at the instance of one man. Conceive of the howl of indignation that would go up among the lawyers and physicians if it were so that their diplomas might be cancelled without the concurrence of the majority of a board convened for the purpose. Professional men, so far as we know, while they may be hanged or otherwise punished for transgressing the law, are in no danger of losing their professional status except under equitable conditions. They are not amenable to "Star Chambers" consisting of one politician. But the defenders of the B. C. Educational "Star chamber" raise the Pecksniffian cry that the Premier does not propose to exercise his power—except in cases of gross immorality and contumaciousness. In answer to this we will say: Suppose a teacher gets into the police court? Is it not enough that the trustees discharge him? Suppose he plays poker? Are not the trustees equal to the occasion? Suppose he gets drunk? Are we to infer that the trustees will commiserate with him? Suppose he runs away with another man's wife? Are we justified in believing that the trustees will get up a ratification meeting? We find in going over the list of immoralities possible of a school teacher that the trustees are equal to all of them, that in fact the powers vested in the Premier are wholly superfluous. Now, as the Premier is no fool, as much must have occurred to him, and being aware of it, what could possibly be his object in passing through the House "section nine" of the School Act. As we pointed out on Thursday his object was to insure his being boss. He wanted to be in a position where he could bend the teachers to his will, and at the same time obstruct if he felt like it the wishes of the trustees, as he did in the case of Mr. Muir. Is there a man in the legislature who has the moral courage to propose the repeal of that instrument of tyranny, section nine? Among the very many bad acts which disgrace our statute books this is the worst. The Legal Professions Act is to be repealed, and section nine in conjunction with it should be erased from the statute books. It would be extremely fitting that these two legislative monstrosities should be relegated to the limbo of forgetfulness. We cannot afford to be sneered at any longer by a progressive and discriminating outside world.

PAUPERS IN TORONTO.

The Toronto World, under the above caption, furnishes its readers with a homily opposed to free trade. "It has been stated," says the World, "that, approximately speaking, one person in thirty-two in Toronto receives charity," and hence the "inference may fairly be drawn that it is no time to go hurrahing for Free Trade." It is difficult to understand how Free Trade can be associated with pauperism, and particularly in the case cited. What has produced this pauperism? Certainly not free trade, because free trade is not in operation. How then can it be logically inferred that the abolition of protection would make matters worse? It seems to us, that if anything, every thirty-second pauper is an argument against protection. If we may associate pauperism with fiscal policy, and if pauperism breeds under protection, we have seemingly a strong argument against it. The World to be logical should endorse free trade. But the fact of the matter is, the condition of the working classes in Toronto has no bearing on either protection or free trade. The fact that every thirty-second person is an object of charity, only shows that the labor market is glutted, a condition liable to happen in the most prosperous communities. We have known men to beg in mining camps where labor was in demand at $4 per day. The trouble we imagine with the paupers of Toronto is not that there is not work; it is because the work is not of the kind they want. We say it without the least hesitation that there is no occasion for any able-bodied man or woman in Canada to become the recipient of public charity.

EGGS AND IMMIGRATION.

Eggs are worth sixty cents a dozen in this city and are scarce at that. There is, in fact, a likelihood of an egg famine. One of the curious features connected with the internal economy of British Columbia is the sterility of the provincial hen. She is unable to meet the demand for her product. In other words the greater percentage of eggs eaten in this province are imported. Now there is no good reason for this, nor does the fault lay exclusively with the British Columbia hen. She is as prolific as her American cousin in proportion to numbers. It is her numerical inferiority which precludes her ability to meet the demand for her product, and herein the provincials themselves are to blame. It is a singular commentary on our boasted enterprise and natural resources that we do not raise eggs enough for our own consumption. The primary object of protection is to stimulate home industries, and yet the egg business languishes. Why should we have protection under such circumstances. There is a talk of importing immigrants. We suggest to Mr. Bzoe that in conjunction with these immigrants a hundred thousand hens be imported also. There are millions in them. Eggs just now are as important a factor in our civilization as hired girls. Mr. Bzoe will please make note.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

According to the San Francisco Examiner that city's purchase of coal from British Columbia in 1889 were 80,000 tons in excess of that of the previous year, and 44,790 tons greater than those from any other market. They amounted to 344,490 tons, while the Australian delivery was 299,700 tons.

Premier Mercier has introduced a bill in the Quebec Legislature providing that bribery in certain cases will not necessarily void the election. The excellent system by which the affairs of British Columbia are conducted do not render such a bill necessary. Bribery was evidently legalized here long ago.

The Northwest members are believed to favor the suppression of the Mormon evil there. One of them proposes to urge his colleagues to induce the government to introduce a measure to make polygamy a punishable offence. The Mounted Police have secured complete proof that polygamous practices exist in the Mormon colony, but there is no law on the statute book whereby the offenders can be reached.

The rapid decrease in the number of kangaroos is beginning to attract the attention of scientific societies in Australia. From the collective reports of the various stock inspectors it was estimated that in 1887 there were 1,881,510 kangaroos. In 1888 that number fell to 1,170,380, a decrease of 711,130. The chief obstacle to the adoption of measures for the effectual protection of the kangaroo is his vigorous appetite. One full grown kangaroo eats as much grass as six sheep.

Edison, it is said, has a new novelty on which he is working—a clock to talk the time. Instead of a blank sound it will say "one," "two," etc., at the proper hours. For an alarm it will say, in so many words, "Get up!" in a stentorian and commanding voice. If the person thus ordered does not get up—what then? If the clock can say "Get up," it ought to be able to use much stronger language. If that fails to rouse the sleeper, a combined claw and Bogardus-kicker attachment ought to be perfected that could be depended on to "turn the rascals out" in short order.

Mr. Speaker Higgins introduced a bill last session to amend the Legal Professions Act, but it was defeated, largely through the opposition of Mr. Tzeo Davie. Mr. Higgins will have a grim satisfaction in listening, from the Speaker's chair, to the Attorney-General's arguments in favor of a measure which the latter had, one year ago, strongly opposed. The action of the government, in taking up this question, attests in the most forcible manner possible, that Mr. Higgins was right, and that the opposition to his bill was not in the interests of the province or of the profession which it was supposed to protect.

Col. Prior's vigorous language anent the "steamer touching" business is in edifying contrast to his attitude last year. His position, apparently, does not seem so "awkward" as on a former occasion, and we trust that his confreres will be able to reciprocate. "Imperial interests" sound well, but we have never been able, nor never expect to be able, to dissociate them from what some politicians comprehensively call "Colonial interests." Are we to regard Colonial interests as something apart from Imperial interests? We cannot conceive of Imperial interests not being our interests, nor can we conceive that our interests should be inimical to Imperial interests. This is the plain English of it, and this is what all colonists think, and the politician who evokes a policy contrary to this idea will find himself relegated to a sphere where his propensity for hair-splitting distinctions will be less prolific of danger to his constituents and the body politic.

What are we to understand from the language of our special dispatch from Ottawa, which is to the effect that Mr. D. W. Gordon, who is acquiring information in regard to the Chinese, "will make a strong protest against any modification of the Restriction Act." If the government has no intention of modifying the Act why the necessity of Mr. Gordon's protest? Scout the matter as much as may be, the impression still holds good that it was the intention of the government to repeal the Act if it could be done without injury to their political interests. As matters stand just now, Sir John could scarcely afford to antagonize British Columbia. The chaotic condition of politics from Manitoba to the Bay of Fundy makes it extremely difficult to forecast political events. At all events it is possible that a state of affairs will eventuate wherein British Columbia will hold the balance of power. This of course she would exercise to her best advantage. Least of all would she give it to the party which had forced upon her a degraded working population. It is extremely likely, therefore, that no effort will be made to repeal the Act, although it may come up in a perfunctory sort of a way, to be killed for a period to come.

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The Philippian Earthquake—"Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and Thou Shalt Be Saved"—Where the Text Should Be Applied—Who Is Christ?

LONDON, Jan. 19.—The Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., of Brooklyn, preached in this city today, taking for his text Acts xvi, 31: "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved." He said:

Jails are dark, dull, damp, loathsome places even now, but they were worse in the apostolic times. I imagine today we are standing in the Philippian dungeon. Do you not feel the chill? Do you not hear the groan of those incarcerated ones who for ten years have not seen the sunlight, and a deep sigh of women who remember their father's house and mourn over their wasted estates? Listen again. It is the cough of the consumptive, or the struggle of one in the nightmare of a great horror. You listen again, and hear a culprit, his chains rattling as he rolls over in his dreams, and you say: "God pity the prisoner." But there is another sound in that prison. It is a song of joy and gladness. What a place to sing in! The music comes winding through the corridors of the prison, and in all the dark wards the whisper is heard: "What's that? What's that?" It is the song of Paul and Silas. They cannot sleep. They have been whipped very badly whipped. The long gashes on their backs are bleeding yet. They lie flat on the cold ground, their feet fast in wooden sockets, and of course they cannot sleep. But they can sing. Jailer, what are you doing with these people? Why have they been put in here? Oh! they have been trying to make the world better. Is that all? That is all. A pit for Joseph. A lion's cave for Daniel. A blazing furnace for Shadrach. Clubs for John Wesley. An anathema for Philip Melanchthon. A dungeon for Paul and Silas. But while we are standing in the gloom of that Philippian dungeon, and we hear the mingling voices of sob, and groan, and blasphemy, and hallelujah, suddenly an earthquake! The iron bars of the prison twist, the pillars crack off, the solid masonry begins to heave and rock till all the doors swing open, and the walls fall with a terrific crash. The jailer, feeling himself responsible for these prisoners, and feeling suicide to be honorable—since Brutus killed himself, and Cato killed himself, and Cassius killed himself—puts his sword to his own heart, proposing with one strong, keen thrust to put an end to his excitement and agitation. But Paul cries out: "Stop! stop! Do thyself no harm. We are all here." Then I see the jailer running through the dust and amid the ruin of that prison, and I see him throwing himself down at the feet of these prisoners, crying out: "What shall I do? What shall I do?" Did Paul answer: "Get out of this place before there is another earthquake; put handcuffs and hopples on these other prisoners, lest they get away!" No word of that kind. Compact, thrilling, tremendous answer; answer memorable all through earth and heaven: "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved."

A DIFFERENT KIND OF EARTHQUAKES.

Well, we have all read of the earthquake in Lisbon, in Lima, in Aleppo and in Caracoas; but we live in a latitude where in all our memory there has not been one severe volcanic disturbance. And yet we have some fifty earthquakes. Here is a man who has been building up a large fortune. His bid on the money market was felt in all the cities. He thinks he has got beyond all annoying rivalries in trade, and he says to himself: "Now I am free and safe from all possible perturbation." But a national panic strikes the foundations of the commercial world, and crash! goes all that magnificent business establishment. He is a man who has built up a very beautiful home. His daughters have just come home from the seminary with diplomas of graduation. His sons have started in life honest, temperate and pure. When the evening lights are struck, there is a happy and an unbroken family circle. But there has been an accident down at the beach. The young man ventured too far out in the surf. The telegraph hurried the terror up to the city. An earthquake struck under the foundations of that beautiful home. The piano closed; the curtains dropped; the laughter hushed. Crash! go all those domestic hopes, and prospects, and expectations. So, my friends, we have all felt the shaking down of some great trouble, and there was a time when we were as much excited as this man of the text, and we cried out as he did: "What shall I do? What shall I do?" The same reply that the apostle made to him is appropriate to us: "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved." There are some documents of so little importance that you do not care to put any more than your last name under them, or even your initials; but there are some documents of so great importance that you write out your full name. So the Saviour in some parts of the Bible is called "Lord," and in other parts of the Bible he is called "Jesus," and in other parts of the Bible he is called "Christ;" but that there might be no mistake about this passage all three names come in together—"the Lord Jesus Christ." Now, who is this being that you want me to trust in and believe in? Men sometimes come to me with credentials and certificates of good character, but I cannot trust them. There is some dishonesty in their looks that makes me know I shall be cheated if I confide in them. You cannot put your heart's confidence in a man until you know what stuff he is made of, and am I unreasonable this morning when I stop to ask you who this is that you want me to trust in? No man would think of venturing his life on a vessel going out to sea, that had never been inspected. No, you must have the certificate hung amidships, telling how many tons it carries, and how long ago it was built, and who built it, and all about it. And you cannot expect me to risk the cargo of my immortal interests on board any craft till you tell me what it is made of, and where it was made, and what it is. What, then, I ask you who this is you want me to trust in, you tell me he was a very attractive person. You tell me that the contemporary writers describe him, and they give the color of his eyes, and the color of his hair, and they describe his whole appearance as being resplendent. Christ did not tell the children to come to him. "Suffer little children to come unto me," was not spoken to the children; it was spoken to the Pharisees. The children had come without any invitation. No sooner did Jesus appear than the little ones pitched from their mothers' arms, an avalanche of beauty and love, into his lap. "Suffer little children to come unto me." That was addressed to the Pharisees; not to the children. Christ did not ask John to put his head down on his bosom; John could not help but put his head there. Such eyes, such cheeks, such a chin, such hair, such physical condition and appearance—why, it must have been completely captivating and winsome. I suppose a look at him was just to love him. Oh! how attractive his manner. Why, when they saw Christ coming along the street, they ran into their houses, and they wrapped up their invalids as quick as they could and brought them out that he might look at them. Oh! there was something so pleasant, so inviting, so cheering in everything he did, in his very look. When these sick ones were brought out did he say: "Take away these sores; do not trouble me with these leprosies?" No, no; there was a kind look; there was a gentle word; there was a healing touch. They could not keep away from him.

A LOVING CHRIST.

In addition to this softness of character, there was a fiery momentum. How the old hypocrites trembled before him. How the kings of the earth turned pale. Here is a plain man with a few sailors at his back, coming out of the sea of Galilee, going up to the palace of the Cæsars, making that palace quake to the foundations, and uttering a word of mercy and kindness which throbs through all the earth, and through all the heavens, and through all the ages! Oh! he was a loving Christ. But it was not effeminacy, or insipidity of character; it was accompanied with majesty, infinite and omnipotent. Let no world should not realize his earnestness, this Christ mounts the cross. You say: "If Christ has to die, why not let him take some deadly potion and lie on a couch in some bright and beautiful home? If he must die, let him expire amid all kindly emotions?" No, the world must hear the hammers on the heads of the spikes. The world must listen to the death rattle of the sufferer. The world must feel his warm blood dropping on each cheek, while it looks up into the face of his anguish. And so the cross must be lifted, and the hole is dug on the top of Calvary. It must be dug three feet deep, and then the cross is laid on the ground, and the sufferer is stretched upon it, and the nails are pounded through nerve and muscle and bone, through the right hand, through the left hand, and then they shake his right hand to see if it is fast, and they shake his left foot to see if it is fast, and then they heave up the wood, half a dozen shoulders under the weight, and they put the end of the cross to the mouth of the hole, and they plunge it in, all the weight of his body coming down for the first time on the spikes, and while some hold the cross upright others throw in the dirt and trample it down, and trample it hard. Oh, plant that tree well and thoroughly, for it is to bear fruit such as no other tree ever bore! Why did Christ endure it? He could have taken those rocks, and with them crushed his crucifiers. He could have reached up and grasped the sword of the Omnipotent God and with one clean cut have tumbled them into perdition. But no; he was to die, he must die. His life for my life. His life for your life. In one of the European cities a young man died on the scaffold for the crime of murder. Some time after, the mother of this young man was dying, and the priest came in, and she made confession to the priest that she was the murderer and not her son; in a moment of anger she had struck her husband a blow that slew him. The son came suddenly into the room, and was washing away the wounds and trying to resuscitate his father, when some one looked through the window and saw him, and supposed him to be the criminal. That young man died for his own mother. You say: "It was wonderful that he never exposed her." But I tell you of a grander thing. Christ, the Son of God, died not for his mother, not for his father, but for his sworn enemies. O, such a Christ as that—so loving, so self sacrificing—can you not trust him?

HOW TO TRUST HIM.

I think there are many under the spirit of God who are saying: "I will trust Him if you will only tell me how;" and the great question asked by thousands in this assemblage is: "How? how?" And while I answer your question I look up and utter the prayer which Rowland Hill so often uttered in the midst of his sermons: "Master, help!" How are you to trust in Christ? Just as you trust anyone. You trust your partner in business with important things. If a commercial house gives you a note payable three months hence, you expect the payment of that note at the end of three months. You have perfect confidence in their word and in their ability. You go home today. You expect there will be food on the table. You have confidence in that. Now, I ask you to have the same confidence in the Lord Jesus Christ. He says: "You believe; I take away your sins;" and they are all taken away. "What," you say, "before I pray any more? Before I read my Bible any more? Before I cry over my sins any more?" Yes, this moment. Believe with all your heart, and you are saved. Why, Christ is only waiting to get from you what you give to scores of people every day. What is that? Confidence. If these people whom you trust day by day are more worthy than Christ, if they are more faithful than Christ, if they have done more than Christ ever did, then give them the preference; but if you really think that Christ is as trustworthy as they are, then deal with him as fairly. "Oh," says some one, in a light way, "I believe that Christ was born in Bethlehem, and I believe that he died on the cross." Do you believe it with your head, or your heart?

AN ILLUSTRATION.

I will illustrate the difference. You are in your house. In the morning you open a newspaper, and you read how Capt. Braveheart on the sea risked his life for the salvation of his passengers. You say: "What a grand fellow he must have been! His family deserves very well of the country." You fold the newspaper and sit down at the table, and perhaps do not think of that incident again. That is historical faith. But now you are on the sea, and it is night, and you are asleep and are awakened by the shriek of "Fire!" You rush out on the deck. You hear, amid the wringing of the hands and the fainting, the cries: "No hope! We are lost! We are lost!" The sail puts out its wing of fire, the ropes make a burning ladder in the night heavens, the spirit of wreck hises in the waves, and on the hurricane deck shakes out its banner of smoke and darkness. "Down with the lifeboats!" cries the captain. "Down with the lifeboats!" People rush into them. The boats are full. Room only for one more man. You are standing on the deck beside the captain. Who shall it be? You or the captain? The captain says: "You." You jump and are saved. He stands there and dies. Now, you believe that Capt. Braveheart sacrificed himself for his passengers, but you believe it with love, with tears, with hot and long continued exclamations; with grief at his loss, and with joy at your deliverance. That is saving faith. In other words, what you believe with all the heart, and believe in regard to yourself. On this hinge turns my sermon; aye, the salvation of your immortal soul. You often go across a bridge you know nothing about. You do not know who built the bridge, you do not know at material it is made of; but you come to it, and walk over it, and ask no questions. And here is an arched bridge blasted from the "Rock of Ages," and built by the Architect of the whole universe, spanning the dark gulf between sin and righteousness, and all God asks you is to walk across it; and you start, and you come to it, and you stop, and you go a little way on and you stop, and you fall back, and you experiment. You say: "How do I know that bridge will hold me?" Instead of marching on with firm step, asking no questions, but feeling that the strength of the eternal God is under you. Oh, was there over a prize offered so cheap as pardon and heaven are offered to you? For how much? A million dollars? It is certainly worth more than that. But cheaper than that you can have it. Ten thousand dollars? Less than that. Five thousand dollars? Less than that. One dollar? Less than that. One farthing? Less than that. "Without money and without price." No money to pay. No journey to take. No penance to suffer. Only just one decisive action of the soul: "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved." Shall I try to tell you what it is to be saved? I cannot tell you. No man, no angel, can tell you. But I can hint at it. For my text brings me up to this point, "Thou shalt be saved." It means a happy life here, and a peaceful death and a blissful eternity. It is a grand thing to go to sleep at night, and to get up in the morning, and to do business all day feeling that all is right between my heart and God. No accident, no sickness, no persecution, no peril, no sword can do me any permanent damage. I am a forgiven child of God, and he is bound to see me through. He has sworn he will see me through. The mountains may depart, the earth may burn, the light of the stars may be blown out by the blast of the judgment hurricane; but life and death, things present and things to come, are mine. Yea, further than that—it means a peaceful death.

A Cure for Leprosy.

A cure for leprosy has been found, says Mr. Clifford, the last European to visit Father Damien. It is gurjun oil, the produce of a fir tree which grows plentifully in the Andaman Islands. "It was discovered by Dr. Dougall, and Mr. Clifford was assured by Sir Donald Stewart, who was then governor of the islands, and who has sent me the official medical report, that every single case in the place was cured by it. The lepers were convicts, and it was therefore impossible to enforce four hours a day of rubbing the ointment all over their bodies, and the taking of two small doses internally. In some of the cases the disease was of many years' standing, and the state to which it had reduced its victims was indescribably dreadful, yet after eight months sufferers were able to run and to use a heavy pickaxe, and every symptom of leprosy had disappeared." Father Damien tried it, but too late.

"Pa ain't turning out the sort of man I expected," said a little 8-year-old West Ender as he returned, rubbing his legs, from a woodshed séance with his father, "and, ma, the next time he whips us let's get a divorce."—Washington Post.

ABOUT DIRECTORIES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Our attention has been drawn to a paragraph in your issue of the 18th December, in which it is stated that the firm of R. L. Polk & Co., of Detroit and Toronto, will issue a directory of the Dominion, and that they are continuing the work so well started by Mr. John Lovell of Montreal.

The Dominion directory issued by Mr. Lovell in 1871 cost him about $80,000 and resulted in a loss of about $15,000, a loss which he might have avoided had he done the work in a less thorough manner than that in which it was done. Messrs. R. L. Polk & Co. are not the successors of Mr. Lovell, as his firm is still in the directory business. In 1880 they paid Messrs. Polk over four thousand dollars as commissions for orders which Messrs. Polk had taken for a Province of Ontario directory, with an implied understanding that Messrs. Polk & Co. would not do any more business in Canada, but two years later found them again in the field with a business directory of the Province of Ontario, the very work which we had bought from them, but had not been sharp enough to make our agreement in writing, for which they asked and obtained $5.00; now they are willing to get out a book for the whole Dominion for $6. Of course there are many ways of getting up a directory at little cost, and our Province of Quebec directory, Henderson's Province of Manitoba and of British Columbia, and McAlpine's Province of New Brunswick directories will all be issued before that of Messrs. Polk for the Dominion.

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A ROMAN CATHOLIC'S OPINION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—In these days when we hear so much on the school question it will not be considered out of place to bring before the general public, through the medium of your impartial paper, the kind of literature forced upon children attending the public schools, as a specimen of that high-handed policy worthy of a Czar.

It has been remarked by an able orator in the States, that "people who pay taxes should get the benefit of taxation," and although the schools provided by our benign government are public and open to all, yet how can conscientious Catholic parents send their children to such schools without endangering their religious beliefs when a history such as Collier's "British Empire" is not only taunting and insulting the church of their forefathers but even embittering those youthful minds against that church, by grossly misrepresenting facts which sober and unimpeachable Protestant historians refute!

As rate-payers Catholics of this city have a right to protest against such impious language as quoted in that history, and in doing so only ask for fair play, when it is considered that the schools are maintained by our taxes and those of our fellow citizens.

Perhaps it may be asked "Do not you Catholics have your own schools, and who is to blame if Catholic parents choose to send their children to the public schools?"

I answer, is that any criterion why the minds of children of other creeds should be biased, and they taught to despise us and our religion, when such schools are supported by Catholics as well as others? The Catholics of to-day believe the same as our forefathers did in early times; and I unhesitatingly say that the abominable crimes and shocking behaviour attributed to our ancestors by that bigoted savant could not be tolerated in any Christian community or country for an instant. Yours, etc. J. J. STEVENSON.

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THE GOVERNMENT ORGAN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Has the government really gone back on its organ? Your readers know that it never did, all in facts, and its own readers see that it even begs from the TIMES. Will the *Colonist* state why the certificate of one teacher was cancelled for alleged disobedience of rules, when the department had two official letters from the school trustees certifying that the rules were kept conscientiously? Was it because the teacher was a political opponent of the Hon. John Robson? And why the certificate of another teacher was not cancelled, who certified that all rules and regulations were kept when the department had a statutory declaration proving the contrary? M.

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TRAVELLERS' LICENSES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—The case of Mr. Kenny, mulcted in the sum of ten dollars and costs, prompts me to drop you a line on the subject of this tax. Ever since the license was first imposed I have been expecting to hear or read of resistance to its payment on the part of the commercial travellers, and consequently I was not surprised to read of the case of Mr. Kenny as reported in Thursday's TIMES, but I confess I was astonished at the decision arrived at by Mr. Richards. Takes it for granted that the learned police magistrate did not give Mr. Kenny's contention the consideration which it deserved. The validity of this tax was settled many years ago in eastern Canada. The case was this: A gentleman, whose name at present escapes my memory, paid a visit as a commercial traveller to the city of Quebec. He refused or failed to pay the tax imposed by the Quebec corporation on gentlemen doing business in the city as commercial travellers. He was summoned to appear before the police magistrate (Mr. Chauveau?) to answer for his delinquency. A plea identical with that of Mr. Kenny, i.e., that the tax was *ultra vires*, was submitted for consideration. The corporation was sustained by the police magistrate and the commercial traveller was ordered to pay the tax besides being fined very heavily. The magistrate's decision was carried to the Court of Review, the counsel for the appellant contending that the by-law was *ultra vires*, and consequently that the tax was illegal. On the other hand the corporation (the respondents) in support of their position stated to the court that a similar case had arisen some time before in the city of St. John, N. B. A commercial traveller visiting that city was fined by the P. M. for a similar omission to pay his tax when requested to do so. This decision was appealed to the Court of Review and the conviction was confirmed. Consequently the counsel contended if the tax was legal in the city of St. John, N. B., it should also be legal in the city of Quebec. "That may all be true," said the Quebec Court of Review, "but the city of St John enjoyed the privilege of taxing commercial travellers, the city of Quebec did not. If the tax had been in force before confederation we would confirm the decision of the police magistrate, but the tax being imposed since confederation is now *ultra vires* and consequently illegal." The conviction was quashed. The same rule applies to Victoria. The commercial traveller by-law and tax were born subsequent to confederation and like the by-law and tax of the Quebec corporation must be illegal. WONDROUS.

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JAMES G. PREVOST.
Victoria, B. C, 16th January, 1890. ja17

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CHARLES WILSON,
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Victoria, November 29th, 1889. nov29

NOTICE
IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the Legislative Assembly at its next session, for an act granting to the Spokane Falls and Northern Railway Company (a foreign company) corporate powers, and enabling the said company to construct, equip, and maintain a railway from a convenient point near the mouth of the Pen d'Oreille River, near the southern boundary of the Province, to a convenient point near the town of Nelson, on the west arm of Kootenay Lake, and for a grant of land in aid thereof, or for an Act to incorporate a company for the above purposes.
CHARLES WILSON,
Solicitor for the Applicants.
Victoria, Nov. 28th, 1889. nov29-dw2m

NOTICE
IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to amend the "Crow's Nest and Kootenay Lake Railway Company Act, 1888," by extending the time within which the said Company shall commence the construction of the work for a period of three years from the 28th day of April, 1890; and the time within which the said Company shall complete and equip the same for a period of three years from the 28th day of April, 1893.
FRED. G. WALKER,
Solicitor for the Applicants.
Victoria, B.C., November 29th, 1889. nov29-2m

NOTICE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE TH APPLICATION will be made at the next Session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia for an Act to incorporate a Company, to be called "The British Columbia Mills, Timber and Trading Company," for the purpose of acquiring the shares in the capital and the business, property and privileges, and also of assuming the liabilities of the Royal City Planing Mills Company, Limited, and the Hastings Saw Mill Company, Limited, respectively, and to provide for the said Companies being merged therein and extinguished; and

To operate and carry on the business of the aforesaid Mills;

To acquire by purchase or otherwise, build and operate, equip and maintain, mills, factories and machine shops of any description, steam vessels and other vessels of any description, railways, tramways, canals and ferries, and to dispose of the same, or any interest therein, by sale or otherwise;

To acquire, by purchase or otherwise, and cut timber and other lands and timb privileges, and to dispose of the same, or any interest therein, by sale or otherwise;

To acquire, by purchase or otherwise, and hold lands, and dispose of the same, or any interest therein, by sale or otherwise;

To acquire, by purchase or otherwise, gold, silver and other ores and minerals, logs, timber, lumber and merchandise of any description, bills of lading, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and securities for money, and to dispose of the same

To carry on and carry on the business of millowners (saw, grist or other mills), timber and lumber merchants, manufacturers, wharfingers, and carriers, and to conduct and carry on a shipping, towing and general trading business;

To undertake agencies and conduct financial business of any kind other than that of banking or insurance;

To perform all such acts, matters and things as the Company may deem incidental or otherwise conducive to the attainment of any of the above objects, or to the conversion or disposition of any security or property held by the Company.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for the Applicants.
Dated 4th December, 1889.
Victoria, B. C. dec6

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Correspondence solicited. sept-6m

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

VANCOUVER AND QUADRA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fingard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
R. A. BROWN, Secretary.
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COLUMBIA ROYAL ARUK Chapter, No. 126, R. A. M. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall Masonic Temple, Douglas Street. Sojourning companions cordially invited.
jel 1y W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E.

DOMINION LODGE, NO. 4, I.O.O.F., meets at the hall, Douglas street, every Thursday evening. SPECIAL NOTICE.—This week Thursday, Jan. 24th, initiation.
JAMES AULD,
dec2 N. G.

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government and Yates streets on the street. Friday of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.

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STEAMSHIPS.

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Railway-Steamers.

TACOMA-VICTORIA ROUTE.

Leave Tacoma	†8.00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	10.45 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	1.00 p.m.
Arrive Victoria	6.30 p.m.
Leave Victoria	10.00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	10.00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	2.00 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma	†4.45 p.m.

TACOMA-SEATTLE ROUTE.

Leave Tacoma	†8.00 a.m., †10.00 a.m., 12.00 p.m., †4.30 p.m., *7.45 p.m.
Leave Seattle	*5 a.m., †8.00 a.m., †12.00 p.m., †4.30 p.m.

Train leaving Tacoma 12.30 p.m. and Seattle at 5.30 a.m. land at Des Moines.

SEATTLE-OLYMPIA-ROUTE.

Leave Seattle	†4 a.m.
Leave Tacoma	7 a.m.
Leave Steilacoom	8.30 a.m.
Arrive Olympia	†10.30 a.m.
Leave Olympia	†12.30 p.m.
Leave Steilacoom	2.30 p.m.
Leave Tacoma	4.30 p.m.
Arrive Seattle	†5.45 p.m.

†Daily except Sunday. †Sunday only. *Daily.

WHATCOM, SEMIAHMOO AND BLAINE ROUTE.
Stopping at all way landings.
Steamer leaves Seattle daily, except Saturday, for Whatcom at 11.00 p.m. Arrives at Whatcom daily, except Sunday, at 3.00 a.m.
Steamer leaves Whatcom for Seattle daily, except Saturday, at 8.00 p.m. Arrives at Seattle daily, except Sunday, 3.00 p.m.
Steamer from Semiahmoo and Blaine leave Whatcom every Saturday at 8 p.m. Returning, leave Blaine every Sunday at 10 a.m. for Whatcom and Seattle.

RAIL LINE.
"The Overland Flyer" leaves Portland 8 p.m. daily and carries through Pullman Sleepers, Colonist Sleepers, Free Chair Cars and Coaches between Portland and Denver, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, St. Paul or Chicago.
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GEO. A. COOPER,
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CANADIAN PACIFIC
Navigation Co., Ld.
Time Table No. 11
Taking effect March 23, 1889.
Vancouver Route.
Victoria to Vancouver daily except Monday at 7 o'clock.
Vancouver to Victoria daily except Monday at 10.30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. No 1 train.
New Westminster Route.
Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Luiu Island Sunday at 7 o'clock. Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)
For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
Leaves New Westminster for Victoria Monday at 10.30 o'clock. Tuesday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.
Frazer River Route.
Steamer leaves New Westminster for Hope and way Landings every Wednesday, for Chilliwhack and way landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock during river navigation.
Northern Route.
SS. Sardonyx will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.
Barclay Sound Route.
Steamer Maude leaves for Alberni Sound

PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and the Province Briefly Told.

—Sixty head of cattle arrived from the mainland last night.

—Gloves, mitts and winter caps cheap, Gilmore & McCandless.

—Microbe Killer on sale at Daley's, 111 Government street.

—A nice lot of hanging lamps at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St.

—Three hundred and seventy-nine licenses were issued in Vancouver last year.

—The Jubilee Singers will delight lovers of good music at the Victoria this evening.

—A large number of the inhabitants of Denman Island are severely afflicted with la grippe.

—A beautiful assortment of China dinner services just opened at John Weiler's, Fort street.

—The Midnight Adieu Club will give a social dance on Tuesday evening at Shelley's Hall.

—New patterns in Mosquette, velvet, Brussells, three-ply and ingrain carpets, just received at J. Sehl's.

—The finest assortment of China and enameled tea and dinner services for the holiday season at J. Sehl's.

—For smoky chimneys obtain a Patent Globe Cap, made in Troy, N.Y., from McLennan & McFeely, 70 Yates St.

—Are you troubled with dyspepsia? King's remedy is a sure cure. John Teague, Jr., sole agent, 97 Yates street.

—There was no afternoon train for Nanaimo to-day, the management deciding not to send one out on account of the snow.

—Fresh Oysters delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery, Young Bros., Government street, Telephone Call, No. 161.

—Some of the Northern Pacific officials are expected to arrive shortly to make arrangements for wharf accommodations for the new line.

—The attendance at the Nanaimo school has been exceedingly large since the re-opening, and the scholars are making rapid progress.

—You should but pay a visit to John Weiler's, on Fort street, and be astonished at the amount of useful articles that he has on exhibition.

—The remains of Mrs. Bertha Tupper were interred this afternoon. A number of friends of the deceased followed the remains to the grave.

—Mr. J. A. Thompson and Mr. J. Williams, of Wellington, have leased for a long term the Central Hotel, on Commercial street, Nanaimo.

—The annual meeting of subscribers to the B. C. Protestant Orphans' Home will be held at the Home, Rae street, on Tuesday, Jan. 28th, at 8 p.m.

—John Chinaman has finished his whole-souled celebration of New Year, and has returned with stoical indifference to the regular drudgeries of life.

—A car load of elegant new designs in antique oak and walnut bedroom suits, sideboards, hall stands and fancy tables just received by Jacob Sehl, 66 Government street.

—For the best assortment of Bisque figures, Carlsbad and Dresden china and peachblow vases and ornaments, suitable for Christmas presents, go to J. Sehl's, 66 Government street.

—Although there has been a great deal of snow combined with hard frost, the general health of Nanaimo has been remarkably good, and there has not been one fatal result from this cause.

—Mr. A. A. Richardson, Nanaimo, has been appointed aide de camp with the rank of Colonel in the Uniform Rank of the Knight of Pythias to serve on the staff of Major General J. R. Graham. Mr. Richardson has held the rank of Captain for the past twelve months.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C.)

Jerry Chickens, an Indian, drunk, paid $5.

R. H. Bryce, a commercial traveler, was charged by W. K. Bull with non-payment of a commercial traveler's license. Defendant, through his counsel, Mr. Jay, pleaded that the imposition of tax was unconstitutional, and the case was remanded until Monday for argument.

Geo. Unwin, for allowing his chimney to get a fire, was fined $5.

Another Gone.

Mr. John Furstenau of this city mourns the death of his sister Matilda, who died this morning after a lingering illness of some months. The deceased lady was a native of Germany, and in her forty-second year. Since her residence in this city she has made many friends who deeply regret her death.

The Wires.

The wires were up and doing well till one o'clock this afternoon when they took the grippe or some other trouble and refused to work. The wires of late have struck for nine hours a day, which is all very good for the operators, but hard on the newspapers which are left without stock.

A Box of Brains.

The freight list of the steamer Islander, which arrived from Vancouver this morning, states that a box of brains comprised part of that vessel's cargo. There is no allusion made as to what kind of brains they are, but when it is remembered that the local legislature is now in session, it is easily imagined what sort has been sent here. There is no doubt but what these brains will be needed during the next few weeks, by the occupants of the government benches.

Boyd's Blend and the Grippe.

The male people of the city have been suffering severely from la grippe. The first symptoms and the course of treatment is interesting to those who have not tried this Russian invention. The practice, as we have heard, is something like this. About ten o'clock at night the patient declares that, by George, he has got an awful cold, and that he means to break it up. He then disappears, and shortly returns with a bottle of some kind of medicine, which is certified by the label to be four or eleven years old, according to the degree of roundness of the bottle. Water is then heated to about 140 degrees Fahrenheit, poured into tumblers and mixed with sugar, lemons and other articles intended to remove the flavor of the medicine, which is declared to be extremely unpleasant. It is customary for the friends of the patient to partake of the mixture, in order to show their sympathy, and to some extent share his sufferings. While the patient is drinking, his bed is prepared with unusual care. It is covered with an abnormal amount of blankets, intended to give aid and comfort to the hot stuff in its conflict with the aforesaid icy incrustation. A tendency to kick the clothes off is resisted by fastening flatirons and other weighty articles to the coverings. The patient wakes in the morning covered with a perspiration which he confidently believes to be the remnant of the conquered cold.

THE GRIP.

If you have the "digness" of the head,
A cough, and "ringing ears,"
A hot and feverish critick
And eyes suffused with tears.

A billious feeling 'bout your waist,
And aching legs and hip,
Enough for from well, you are not sick,
You have not lost your "grip."

If you have "runing" at the nose,
And outward 'fits of sneezing,
A chilly feeling down your back
As though your spine was freezing.

If in a nervous "rocky" state,
Like one in drinkes fancy
My friend, you've not the French "La Grippe"
Or English influenza.—New York Tribune.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Grippe in the Interior.

Mr. J. J. McKay arrived from Ashcroft last evening and has gone to St. Joseph's Hospital. He reports the grippe to be epidemic in the upper country. The number down with it appears to be increasing rather than diminishing.

New Building.

Contractor Humber will commence work next week in the erection of a two-story brick, 50x60, being an addition to Spencer's Arcade building. This will be the first new work of the incoming season. The cost of the addition is in the neighborhood of $5,000 and will be utilized for the Arcade's extensive millinery department.

Royal Visit to Canada.

A report is current on what is regarded as trustworthy authority that the Prince of Wales is to revisit America next spring accompanied by the Princess of Wales and perhaps his son, Prince George. The journey, it is said, will be taken by the advice of his physician for the benefit of his health; and will include Canada and New York State.

Slight Misunderstanding.

In one of the prominent hotels last night an indiscreet young man ventured some remark to a young married lady which appears to have been misunderstood by her. She told her husband she had been insulted and an explanation was demanded this morning of the young man and made by him. The affair promised well for a sensation but it didn't sensate.

Poachers Abroad.

Complaint is made to the authorities by Mr. Jas. W. Tolmie of unknown parties shooting pheasants indiscriminately on the Cloverdale and contiguous property. The shooting is done very openly and has frequently been witnessed, though the parties are strangers, and have escaped the majesty of the law. The law on the subject prohibits the shooting of pheasants and the above circumstances are a gross contravention of the statute.

Have They Had Them.

The officials of the fire department were much exercised yesterday over the health of the two new horses imported for the ariel truck. Their general appearance was all right, but there was no veterinary surgeon to be found to determine if they were sound and healthy. Had they been regularly dosed with the condition powders sold at Kellogg's drug store, there would have been no doubt on this point. The best medicine to be had for horse flesh.

The Ecool Murder.

The strangling of an old Indian named George, of the Sheshat tribe, at Ecool, on the West coast, recently, by another Indian out of revenge for the former's refusal to allow his daughter to marry the murderer, calls for prompt action on the part of the government in sending out officers to hunt up the murderer. Instead of so doing no move is being made. The provincial police say the weather is too rough at present and the means of getting to Ecool rather crude. A start will not likely be made before spring, if ever made.

Another Sound Steamer.

Capt. Frank White, well-known in this city, and at one time in command of the C. P. N. Co's steamer Premier, paid us a flying visit on Thursday night. He left for the Sound again yesterday morning, and will go south on the Wala Walla on her next trip to San Diego, where he will purchase a steamer for Capt. H. Beecher, which will go into the Port Townsend, Seattle and Vancouver trade in opposition to the Premier. The steamer will also take in San Juan and Oreas Islands, and as these latter are becoming thickly settled a good trade will probably be worked up.

It Was Her Son.

Supt. Sheppard has received a letter from Mrs. Robt. Segar, of Dayton, Ohio, making enquiries concerning the J. Segar shot and killed by Rutherford, the maniac at Chilliwhack, a few weeks ago. The lady thinks that the murdered man was her son, who left Pennsylvania in 1874. The description given by Mrs. Segar of her son tallies with that of the victim of the insanity of Rutherford, and there is no doubt but what it is the same man. Supt. Sheppard will get fuller particulars from Chilliwhack and then inform Mrs. Segar, whose first intimation of the whereabouts of her son was the telegraphic news of the murder published in the papers.

Jubilee Singers To-Night.

The colored Jubilee Singers returned to-day from Nanaimo where they gave two very successful concerts. To-night they appear for the last time in the Victoria theatre. The Chico *Chronicle* says of them: This rather remarkable troupe was greeted last evening with a good audience and pleased it so well it is far to presume the hall will be crowded this evening. The admixture of pure fun and remarkably good music was complete. Miss Hawkins has a rich voice and her notes are clear, strong and exceedingly sweet. Mr. Walley, the baritone, is a wonder. George Conley's comic songs were fine. The imitation of the Chico brass band, Barnum's calliope and the Chinese song were immense. It is a company of stars and every piece received an encore. Hear them to-night.

Useful Fire Killer.

A fire started in a Seattle warehouse the other night and on an alarm being turned in, the chemical engine was the first on the scene, and before any of the other apparatus had arrived the fire was almost extinguished. The fire caught on the floor in front of the store and had burned through the flooring and timbers and when the chemical company arrived was roaring like a furnace, the draft coming up from under the wharf on which the building is located, causing the flames to leap clear to the ceiling. Smoke was issuing from every window, and it looked as though the whole building was on fire. The flames were extinguished with one 50-gallon tank from the chemical. This incident shows what a serviceable adjunct to a fire department a chemical engine would be.

An Indian Episode.

The celebrated Indian family of Chickens has, through its different members, often figured before the police court magistrate, Jimmy, the head of the house, and his venerable spouse Jenny, having often contributed fines to the city treasury for the offenses of drunkenness. The other day Jimmy was up for supplying a brother Siwash with the inebriating fluid, and as the offence had been so often repeated, his honor gave wicked Jimmy a three months' hoist without the option of a fine. Jenny, however, raised among her friends $25 with which to release her liege lord from durance vile, and yesterday hied her to the "skookum house" to effect that object. She was informed that the majesty of the law would not consider its dignity undebased unless Jimmy remained in custody, and in spite of the offers of the cash the jail doors did not open. To drown her sorrow Jenny went on a dizzy spree with the money collected to pay the fine for Jimmy, and late last night was gathered in by the police. As she had a few dollars left this morning, she paid the regulation fine of a V, this being about the 99th time the same sum has been contributed for a similar offence.

Notice.

I have just received a large shipment of new stylish suitings and pantings which I intend to clear out at the following prices: Suits $27.00, $29.00 and $30.00, worth $32.00 and $40.00 per suit. Pants from $6.00, $7.00, $8.00, $9.00, $10.00 worth $10 to $15 per pair. Fit guaranteed.

J. McCALLUM,
43 Fort street.

Merchants Luncheon

From 11:30 until 2 o'clock and Lowenbrau at the Bank Exchange.

Special Favours are high-class Cigarettes.

EVICTED.

Irish Landlords' Tactics Resorted to In this City.

Evictions are supposed to be a purely Irish production, but right here in Victoria the strong arm of the law has been bared to drive from their humble roof the poor tenant; and not content with so driving out the occupant from his abiding place has even forced the evicted one to tear down the domicile and carry the materials some distance from where they had been used, and this too at this inclement season, when the cold northern winds stride to the marrow with an extreme and vigorous chilliness.

All this sounds very terrible, especially when it has always been thought that evictions and their attendant atrocities were a special feature of Ireland, and that the baleful troubles would never annoy the residents of this favored spot; but, alas, it is even so. Might has driven out the weak, and power has been directed against the helpless.

It all came about in this way: Some months ago a heap of old lumber was piled on a vacant lot near the Custom House, the material being the debris of several old wooden buildings torn down to clear the way for the march of progress. Seeing this vast pile of available stock lying idle, a wandering band of Siwashes conceived it would be just the sort of stuff to build a shack, and the brilliant idea was soon put into execution, and as if by magic theft arose several rude domiciles, which, while not constructed on any known architectural plan, were not without a uniqueness of design, and were, to the eyes of the simple savage, beautiful beyond compare.

The rightful owner of the lumber and land, however, did not seem to entertain just the same views in the matter as did the Siwashes, and he notified them to vacate, but this they refused to do. The owner was justly afraid that the squatters might set fire to the huts, which in turn might put the whole pile of inflammable stuff in a blaze, and he was desirous of routing the interlopers. The assistance of the police was enlisted, and the dusky intruders made to vacate, although they growled vehemently. To add to the ignominy of being driven out the stern-visaged police officers even made the squatters tear down the huts and return the lumber to the main pile. This latter move caused much lamentation, but it was done, and now poor Lo will have to look elsewhere for an abiding place.

CALTHORPE THE CROOKED.

Whitewashed by the News-Advertiser—Police Negligence.

In Friday morning's Vancouver *News-Advertiser* is a lengthy article explaining how it was that the telegram from Supt. Sheppard of this city to the Vancouver police to arrest Calthorpe was not acted upon, and states that Calthorpe could not be found in the city. Mention is made of the fact that Supt. Sheppard even sent a telegram stating that the man was at the Hotel Vancouver, but the officers say that no such man was ever seen there, and the paper suggests that Supt. Sheppard apologize for his hasty utterances against the Vancouver police.

Now comes the joke. At the end of the same article, which attempts to shield the Vancouver police, is another, evidently written to lessen the charge against Calthorpe, but in doing so it condemns the vigilance of the police, as it admits Calthorpe was in Vancouver, and at the hotel mentioned in Supt Sheppard's telegram. The *News* goes on to say that "a well-known gentleman of that city has furnished some information which puts the conduct of Calthorpe in a different light, and seems to show that, though foolishly reckless, he had no intention of defrauding anyone. Although such reckless conduct as Calthorpe was guilty of is most reprehensible, the whole of the circumstances and the fact that the cheques have been paid, seems to show that he had no intention of defrauding anyone."

LEASE THROWN UP.

J. P. Howe & Co. Relinquish the Victoria Theatre—Poor Returns.

The lease of the Victoria Theatre has been relinquished. The reason given is that it will not pay, the business having run behind almost weekly. For this the management have only themselves to blame. With a name for booking only the best companies on the road for this circuit, they sent over several of the worst aggregations of barn stormers which it has been the misfortune of the people of Victoria to listen to for a long time. At first these companies took all right, and we saw such rank performances as that of the "Little Lord Fontleroy" company favored with large audiences, composed, however, of people who know a good thing when they see it. These people were not slow in satisfying themselves that the management had been deceived as to the character of the companies engaged, and they remained away. This went on till the visit of the Duff Opera Company, several of whose people were known by reputation, when the theatre was crowded for four successive performances, thus showing there was no lack of appreciation of a good article. Mr. Geo. Cooper, who was indeced to take the local management, resigned some weeks ago, satisfied with what experience he had, and being unable to attend to it and his own business.

THE SCOTCH BALL.

Burns' Anniversary Commemorated in a Suitable Manner.

About seventy-five or eighty couples danced at the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society's ball in Assembly Hall last evening.

The attendance was far below what it has been in previous years, and much disappointment was expressed at the small number present. Much time had evidently been spent on the decorations, which consisted of banners, flags and appropriate mottoes. Elaborate preparations had been made for the supper and the music was fairly good.

Some of the ladies costumes were very pretty, and the floor managers, Messrs. McIntosh and Bishop, did all in their power to make the time pass agreeably, and with such good effect that the universal verdict of those present was that they had had a splendid time.

Among the old pioneers present were Messrs. Robertson, Mitchell, Lorimer, Tolmie, and A. J. Smith.

There were twenty-four numbers on the programme including several Highland schottisches and the Scotch reel, so dear to the hearts of all good Scotsmen. Owing to the large number of dances the ball did not break up till four o'clock, when all present joined in singing "Auld Lang Syne" and God Save the Queen.

A TRADES ASSEMBLY.

Probable Formation of an Organization in This City.

In response to a notice calling them together several representatives from each trades union in this city met at the Philharmonic hall last evening. There were delegates from the Typographical, Ship Carpenters, Brick ayers, Carpenters, and Moulders Unions, and they had met to consider the establishment of a Trades Assembly in Victoria. The probabilities of the movement coming to a successful issue were found to be excellent, and a delegate was chosen from each union, and altogether they will draft by-laws and constitution for an Assembly, the same to be submitted for the approval of the heads of the several unions. On Friday night next there will be another meeting for the purpose of adopting the report of the committee.

Coal News.

Coal at Vancouver has been raised to $9 per ton while in Victoria it remains at the same old price. The Central Coal Yard and the Rock Bay Coal Yard have been merged into one and hereafter will be carried on under the name of the Central Coal Yard. Orders to be left at 50½ Government street.

Mr. Heathorn's Will.

The safe of the late Wm. Heathorn was drilled open yesterday and the will made some six years ago, found therein. Mrs. Heathorn is made sole executrix of the estate.

Not too Late.

It is not too late to catch on to bargains at Russell McDonald & Co's Boot and Shoe sale, as it will last several days yet. So if you are in want of boot and shoe leather save your good gold by purchasing there. Russell McDonald & Co. opposite the Iron Church, Douglas St.

New Lighthouse.

The contract has been awarded to Mr. Bittancourt, of Nanaimo, by the Dominion government for the erection of a lighthouse on Yellow rock, near the entrance to Baynes Sound, Comox. This will be a leading light for vessels going to and from the Union Colliery loading wharves.

Cariboo Gold.

The gold specimens brought down from Cariboo by Joseph Mason, M. P. P., have been purchased by Bourchier, Croft and Mallette for $1,250. This enterprising firm intend to form a cabinet of provincial woods, coal and precious metals, which cannot fail to be a splendid drawing card and an index to what the province really contains.

Fled to Vancouver.

Dr. J. B. Guthie, a young physician of 24 years of age, has fled from Seattle to Vancouver, after obtaining nearly $3000 by various shady devices. Young Guthrie hails from Guelph, Ont., and his father, Judge Guthrie is the head of a well known legal firm in that city. Guthrie is the brilliant pool player who defeated the notorious Capt. Mallahy in the Rainier hotel, Seattle, in pin pool and won $2100 which he did not get.

How Goes the Time.

Since the hour glass was superseded by the clock, improvements have been going on in the latter, until to-day one is fairly bewildered by the array displayed at the jewellers, and notes the perfection of workmanship even in cheap clocks. Pennock & Clayton have a beautiful line of French marble, marbleized wood, and iron and bronze clocks. Clocks in wooden cases, one day clocks and eight day clocks, in fact a good assortment of all kinds of clocks.

From the North.

The Sardonyx arrived from the Naas and Skeena rivers last night, after a quick passage of less than nine days.

A young Indian named Charles Peter Ryan was brought down by Constable J. Flewin charged with forging the name of R. Cunningham & Son to several small cheques.

Mr. Max Mowatt's experiment of placing fish ova in the Northern rivers ended in failure. The ova taken up on the last trip of the steamer for planting were almost all killed.

Really Wonderful.

An example of the large circulation of the TIMES came to light to-day. A short time ago this journal stated that anyone wishing a copy of the Montreal *Herald*, containing an account of Victoria's growth, could obtain the same by applying at the city hall. This simple announcement has had the effect of inducing distant parties to make application for copies. To-day a copy was sent to a young lady in the obscure town of Salitpa, Alabama, who asked for one, stating that she read the announcement in the TIMES.

The New Hotel.

It is reported that a proposition is afoot to abandon the erection of a new Driard at the corner of Broad and View streets for a larger and better scheme. The proposition as THE TIMES reporter understands it is for the proprietors of the Driard to unite their capital to the extent of $60,000, with that of the Canadian Western Hotel company, and build a place on Government street which shall rival anything on the coast. In such an event as this a beautiful building, costing from $200,000 to $250,000 may be erected on a good location and be more satisfactory in every way.

Victoria Building Society.

At the annual meeting of the Victoria Building Society, held at Harmony Hall last evening, the following directors were elected for the coming year: Jas. Fell, A. H. Maynard, R. T. Williams, E. C. Johnson, T. B. Pearson, Samuel Reid and W. D. McKillican. A. St. G. Flint was appointed secretary and R. Erskine and W. H. Shanby, auditors. Jas. Fell was afterwards elected president, with W. D. McKillican vice president. The drawing for an appropriation and the following members held the numbers entitling them to $1000 each: John Barnsley, Jos. Merrill, Mrs. Jessie Stephens and Miss Robia A. Stephens.

More Railroads.

It is now announced that the Northern Pacific railroad will push a northern extension from Seattle to the boundary line of this province. H. S. Huson, principal assistant engineer of the road, is authority for the statement, and also that he will have surveying parties in the field at once. The line as mapped out will keep back from the Sound, with spurs to the principal towns on the salt water. Mr. Huson did not know what arrangements were to be made about connections across the border, but presumed some local company would be organized to build from the boundary to New Westminster and Vancouver.

That Merry-Go-Round.

It will be pleasing news to young folks to learn that the merry go-round seems an assured fact. This particular merry go-round is entirely new here. It is fifty feet in diameter and 150 feet around. The wooden horses are carved as true as life and the motion on going around is that of loping like a real horse. Between every third horse is a buggy for those who wish to ride. A ride of ten minutes is furnished for ten cents. The motive power to turn the machine is supplied by a boiler of 6 horse-power. If started here, as is very likely, it will only remain a short time, and afterwards be taken to Vancouver, New Westminster, Seattle and other cities.

Burns' Anniversary.

Scotchmen the world over revere the name of Burns, and whenever a celebration takes place in connection with his anniversary they attend in large numbers, as was evidenced last night at the ball given by the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society, but when the celebration takes the form of a concert at which the poet's songs are to be sung, the enthusiasm is still greater. Mr. J. G. Brown and the First Presbyterian church choir have from time to time given the sons of auld Scotland some rare treats in the way of Scotch music and, as will be seen from the advertising columns, they are again to the front with a "Twa Hours at Hame" entertainment. "Twa hours at hame!" What recollections these four words must bring up to the memory of a Scotchman. It makes their "hearts gae back tae auld Scotland." The programme for this affair is completed and we are assured that it is an excellent one, thoroughly Scottish. Several new artists will appear, amongst them being Miss Dempster, lately from Edinburgh, Scotland. Mr. Brown and his choir are deserving of support by all classes of the public. No one in Victoria is more ready to help any entertainment than Mr. Brown. The St. Andrew's Society and Sir William Wallace Society are under a debt of gratitude to him for providing a purely Scotch concert of the excellent character usually given, and both societies will no doubt show by their presence at the concert their appreciation of his efforts. The hall is being decorated and everything arranged for the comfort and convenience of the public. The programme is full will be published later.

Ladies

Examine the "Wankenfanst" and "French" boots at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Rev. Mr. Starr will preach in the Gorge Road Methodist church in the forenoon, and Rev. Mr. Morden, of Wellington, in the evening.

Rev. Mr. Morden will preach in the Pandora Street Methodist church in the morning and Rev. Mr. Starr in the evening.

Rev. Mr. Beer goes to Nanaimo to-morrow to preach the last of the dedicatory services in the new Methodist church in the evening.

Clearance Sale.

A clearing sale at Campbell and Simpkins, prices to suit everybody's pocket. The following are some of the figures: $35 suits for $30; $30 suits for $25; $15 pants for $12; $12 pants for $10; $10 pants for $8. Reductions on all other goods in the same proportion. Three doors south of the P. O.

Wood. Wood.

Orders for wood and coal, coke and bark, left at the Scotch bakery, Douglas street, or telephone call 62 will be attended to at once. A. C. Howe.

Men's

Cork-soled, laced and elastic side boots at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium.

Smokers of Cigarettes who have not tried Special Favours have missed a treat.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Passengers Arrived.

Per steamer Sardonyx from North Ports—A M McCorie, J Rudland, H G Cunningham, J Flewan, Chas P Ryan, M Hasen, Mr Rodge, Max Mowatt, R E Phillips.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—N B Chetham, J Malette, C E Wright, J Campbell, W J D Carver, Chas Leighton, J Rammel, A Algeire, Mrs Jones, S E Robinson Iverson, J A Algeire, Mrs Jones, S E Robinson and wife, J Porter, Mrs Reid, C House, L Levy, A Anderson, W Saunders, G Pinco, Mrs Shea, Mrs Hall, G Beole.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—John Horton, J M Sparrow, Thos Dreyer, Mrs A Wilde, G B Lee, Mrs Marchant, Wm Cusack, J J McKay, W F Harvie, S B Hitchen, G A Hanton, T F Smith, H B Harding, A McCreedy, E Hyendell, E Maguire, Sam Ho Merritt, Robert Green, Hattie Bruce, Miss M Edmonds, W A Blair, James Melrose, E Jones, Miss Henry, R Abbott, A Cox, Miss Marchant, Miss Black, Geo Wells, Mrs D L Rinkin, Mrs John Baird, Mrs J Horton, Mrs N Bennett, Mrs Crosby, Jas Gill, A Stocks, F L Tinkiln, L Bayne, C Morton, J Davis, E L Lettuman, W H Hill, A B Calter, F Davlin, G Henry, T McVeely, J Boice, Master Marchant, F Gale, C F Lowe, R W Chamberlain, John Baird, James Morton, G Garrison, Miss Brent, Charles Ramsden, A Jones, A F Howell, J Gills, James Bruce, Miss Edmonds, Alex Hawks.

Consignees.

Per steamer Sardonyx from North Ports—Simpson & Co, Mrs J R Gilbert, Lenz & Leiser, G C Corfield, R R Co, J Piercy & Co, R Palmer & Co, F D & Brodie.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—Singer Manufacturing Co, A R Johnson & Co, Turner Beeton & Co, T W Fletcher, Bruhn & S, B Jones, John Parker.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—Simon Leiser, W Marchant, Van Volkenburgh, J R Robbins, Dominion Express Co.

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This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall street, New York.

DIED.

FURSTENAU—In this city, Saturday, the 25th inst., Miss Matilda Furstenau, at the residence of Miss Woods, 98 North Park street. Funeral at 3 o'clock p. m., Monday, from St. John's Church. Deeply regretted.

WARD—On 24th January, 1890, at The Laurels, 3 Cutter Street, Victoria, B.C., of pneumonia, Percy Augustus, youngest son of Robert and Mary Pauline Ward, aged 1 year, 7 months, 14 days.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—A servant Girl for general housework. Apply 1016 Fort street. jan25-1w

FOR SALE—Team young and harness and extra business 3 to 400 cords of wood cut, 10,000 cords, more or less, standing, some in Victoria district some in Lake district. Apply to M. Morrissey, Cedar Hill Road, Victoria, B. C. jan25-tf

NOTICE.

B. C. Protestant Orphan's Home.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SUBSCRIBERS will be held on Tuesday, Jan., 28th at 8 p. m., at the Home, Rae street.

A. A. GREEN,
President.

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NOTICE.

Estate of John Henry Rosenberg, Deceased.

CREDITORS ARE REQUESTED TO SEND their claims, and debtors to pay their accounts forthwith, to Messrs. W. R. Clarke and J. Gillison, executors of the will of the deceased.

J. ROLAND REID,
Barrister-at-Law.

Victoria, Jan. 6, 1890. jan 18 1m

NOTICE.

A meeting of the members of the Legal Profession will be held on Monday next at 10 a. m., at the Barristers Rooms in the Supreme Court House, Victoria, for the purpose of considering the proposed "Legal Professions Amendment Act."

By order of the Benchers,

J. P. WALLS,
Secretary.

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National Electric Tramway and Lighting Co., L'td. Liability.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREholders will be held at the company's office, Rock Bay Bridge, on MONDAY, 3rd Feb. next, at 8 p.m.

H. F. HEISTERMAN,
Secretary.

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Warranted "APHRODITINE" of money refunded to cure

IN SOLD OF A POSITIVE GUARANTEE to cure any form of nervous disease, or any disorder of the generative organs, whether arising from the excessive use of Stimulants, Tobacco or Opium, or through indiscretion, etc., such as Loss of Brain Power, Wakefulness, Bearing down Pains in the Back, Dysteria, Nervous Prostration, Lemorrhea, Dizziness, Weak Memory, Loss of Power, which if neglected often lead to premature old age and insanity. Price $1.00 a box, 6 boxes for $5.00.

A WRITTEN GUARANTEE for every $5 order, to refund the money if a Permanent Cure is not effected. Thousands of testimonials from old and young, of both sexes, permanently cured by APHRODITINE. Circular free. Address THE APHRO MEDICINE CO.

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Special Inducements

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Dress Goods.

A marvellous line in Amazon Serges and Costume Cloths, plain and striped, and in all leading shades, 42 in. wide, all wool, at 50 cents per yard, worth $1.

Rich Scotch Knickerbocker Costume Suitings at 30 cents, worth 50 cents.

Very special, superb Amazon Cloth Suiting, 44 and 46 inches wide, regular price 90 cents, at 65 cents.

Winter Cloaks.

Greatly reduced prices.

Ladies' Jackets and Coats.

15 Silk Plush Jackets regular price $9 to $13 all one price $5.90, also 12 Jackets worth $12 to $15 at $6.90; 9 worth $15 at $8.75; 11 worth $18, at $10.90.

Short Jackets, Black and colored reduced from $6, $7.25, $8, and $11, to $3.50, $3.90, $4.75, and $7.75.

Waterproofs.

Ladies' Princess, $1.85 worth $2.75.

Ladies' Russian Circulars, $2, worth $3.

Children's and Misses Tweed Waterproofs at prices to clear.

Hosiery.

We have full lines of J. & R. Morley's celebrated Cashmere Hose. For the remainder of the month will sell $1 goods for 75 cents, 85 cent goods for 65 cents, 50 cent goods for 40 cents, and all other prices at a corresponding reduction.

Gloves.

Fine Cashmere, 16 in. long, for 25 cents per pair.

Lined Mitts, 50 cents per pair.

Lined Gloves, fur or Astracan tops, $1 per pair.

An additional lot of 4-button Kid Gloves, at 50 cents per pair.

Gent's White Kid, to clear, 50 cents and 75 cents per pair.

Furs. Furs.

Only a few remaining.
Children's Hare Boas, 75c.
Ladies' do. do. $1.55.
Do. do. do. $1.65.
The balance of the new Isolene sets will be sold at $9.80, were $15.

J. HUTCHESON & CO.

The Westside,

Govt. St., Jan. 12, '90.

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Has just received in first-class order from Holland a consignment of

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Of various Sizes and Colors, Well set with buds.

HARDY AZALIAS,

Named varieties, both Ponticum and Mollis.

MAGNOLIAS, IN VARIETY,—

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Good Water. Excellent Drainage. No Dust. Electric Light. Electric Tramway.

ESQUIMALT ROAD.—We have for disposal a number of most eligible building sites on this well known property, which is situated on the south side of the Esquimalt Road; a great advantage in the Summer season, owing to the absence of dust. The property being near the sheltered cove of West Bay enables residents to avail themselves of the pleasures pertaining to a seaside resort.

CADBORO BAY ROAD (FORT STREET EXTENSION) Adjoining the private property of R. W. Pearse, Esq., and commanding a magnificent view of Mount Baker, San Juan Island and the Straits of Fuca; having city water and being on the principal line of the Electric Tramway will enable residents to combine the advantages of country with city life and its conveniences. This exceptionally desirable property has been under cultivation for some years but is now laid down to grass. The soil is unsurpassed for garden purposes.

Terms, one-third cash, balance, 6 and 12 mos., at 7 per cent.

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CAMERON'S STORE,

An' jee tuck dat ar time to be ornery an' contrary. You keep me hush while

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as I'm gettin poorer every minute. You miserable, trifflin' low down critter.

You Come On,

or sunk's you bein I'll just leave you settin' right hesh. Yeare old carcass ain't worf the smallest of

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MEN'S, YOUTHS' AND BOY'S —CLOTHING.—

Mechanics' Cash Store

55 JOHNSON ST.

NOTICE

To Contractors and Builders.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 12 o'clock noon, on Friday, 14th February for the erection of the proposed Methodist church, corner Pandora avenue and Quadra St.

Plans and specifications can be seen on and after Thursday, 23rd inst., at the office of F. O. Richards, jr., Yates street.

Tenders will be required for stone and brick and stone combined.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOS. HOOPER,
Architect.

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Good News for Carpenters.

PETTINGELL'S

-:PATENT SHINGLING HATCHET:-

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It does away with the chalk line and straightedge, and anyone can lay one-third more shingles in a day with its use. Give it a trial.

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TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL Jan. 25, 1890 for the construction of the hull of a tug boat 65 feet long, 16 feet beam for R. Cunningham & Son. Plans and specifications to be seen at office of Sprott & Gray.

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